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High Cost Model - HCM

This letter is to certify that <u>West Virginia PCS Alliance</u> will use its High Cost Model - HCM only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of <u>West Virginia PCS Alliance</u>. This certification is provided for the following study area:

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Signed,

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